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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT AND REMARKS

FOR

Attorney Docket Number: FSP0154
Client Reference Number: 265751USCIP
Title: DYNAMIC QUALITY ADJUSTMENT BASED ON CHANGING STREAMING
CONSTRAINTS
Application Number: 09/653,039
Filing Date: Friday, September 01, 2000
First Named Inventor: Pawson, David J.
Group Art Unit: 2157
Examiner Name: Osman, Ramy

Summary of Office Action

In an office action mailed on 07/26/2006, claim 61 is objected to due to informalities; claims 53-56,65,71-74,81 and 82 are rejected under 102(e) as anticipated by Downing (US 6,373,855); claims 57-60,67-70, and 75-78 are rejected as unpatentable over Downing in view of Safadi (US 6,487,721); claims 61-63 and 80 are rejected under 103(a) as unpatentable over Downing in view of Fitzgerald (US 6,611,503); claim 64 is rejected as unpatentable over the combination of Downing, Fitzgerald, and Safadi. The office action is made final. A Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 is timely filed along with the fee set forth under 37 CFR 1.17(e). The application is eligible for continued examination under 37 CFR 1.114, and the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(e) is timely paid, hence the finality of the previous office action should be withdrawn pursuant to 37 CFR 1.114, and this submission should be entered.

Summary of Amendments

Amendments have been made to the claims. The amendments to the claims are detailed under the heading "Claims". Deletions are shown in strike-through; additions are underlined. The amendments to the claims begin on page 3

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